

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, \* CR 07-40055-18

Plaintiff,

vs.

ORDER

MATTHEW BERNARD WELDON, \*

Defendant.

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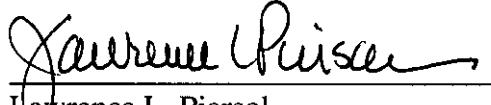
Pending before the Court is the Defendant Matthew Bernard Weldon's Plea Agreement and Factual Basis Statement. A hearing to take the plea was held before the Magistrate Judge on March 11, 2008, and Judge Simko issued a Report and Recommendation recommending to this Court that the plea be accepted and the Defendant be adjudged guilty as charged in Count 1 of the Second Superseding Indictment with Conspiracy to Distribute and Possess with Intent to Distribute a Controlled Substance in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 846. After a careful review of the file, and the time for objections having expired,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation is ADOPTED by the Court, the plea is accepted and the Defendant Matthew Bernard Weldon is adjudged guilty.

Dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2008.

BY THE COURT:



Lawrence L. Piersol  
United States District Judge

ATTEST:  
JOSEPH HAAS, CLERK

BY: Shelly Margulies  
DEPUTY